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For: PRINTER CONTROLLER

Enclosed are:

- [X] <u>Fifteen (15)</u> sheets of formal drawings, Figures <u>1-15</u>.
- [] An Assignment of the invention to <u>MATSUSHITA ELECTRIC</u> <u>INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD.</u>.
- [X] Certified copy of <u>Japanese</u> application No. 2000-256929.
- A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- [X] This application is not entitled to small entity status.
- [] A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- [] An Information Disclosure Statement.
- [X] The executed Declaration and Assignment and full filing fees will follow in due course.

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